



**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Masahiko SASA

Group Art Unit: 2861

Application No.: 10/625,773

Examiner: S. HSIEH

Filed: July 24, 2003

Docket No.: 116570

For: INK JET PRINTER AND MAIN MAINTENANCE METHOD

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the June 7, 2005, Office Action, the period for reply being extended to October 7, 2005, by a Petition for Extension of Time filed herewith, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**